

Dear Anna

We received your letter yesterday -
With regard to going to Groton, we are sorry to
say that we do not think we can do so, because
we are very anxious to attend Graham's Lectures
which are delivered three times every week & will
continue through 4 weeks, & this will bring us
too near to the time ^{of our} going to Phil^a to admit
of our accepting the invitation - We rejoice to
find a woman presiding at a promiscuous meet-
ing - Truly this reform is working along tho' the
pastors rage & the people imagine so vain a thing
as to stop it -

I am very glad the Pefferell folk do feel a-
shamed of their barn - it will be classic ground
in 50 years time -

It so happens that 5 Lectures is the number
we fixed upon - Perhaps Sister will deliver the

first I was sorry they were not advertised in
both our names.

I think as M L Child told us she was wil-
ling to write an Address to Northern Senators &
Representatives that it will be a pity to give her
any thing else to do - If a colored person of suffici-
ent heart & head could write the Address to their
people I should like it better - Will not S. D. any-
less - do well - I expect to write to her soon &
if you Sisters think best & M Child declines, I
will propose it to her - But I must stop
for S. P. is going to town -

Yours in the good cause -

A. E. G.

A. S. Grimké

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Anna Weston